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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Estate of Harry Mortimer Innes and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Crease, bearing date the 24th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the said Harry Mortimore Innes, late of the City of Victoria, deceased, intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 24th day of November, A.D. 1894; and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
oc26-6t Official Administrator.

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CHAS. KENT,
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FURTHER IDENTIFICATIONS.

But Little Doubt That the Listowel Murderer Is Safe in Prison.

LISTOWEL, Oct. 25.—Mrs. McLeod, of Ailsa Craig, has further identified the petticoat found round the neck of the murdered girl, Annie Keith, as belonging to her and stolen by Chatelle. A knife was found on the prisoner with marks believed to be blood. There is no doubt that he is the right man. The inquest commences to-morrow.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

THE POSITION REVIEWED.

Lord Rosebery on the European Situation—The Oriental War—France in Madagascar.

China Willing to Concede More Than Japan Before Hostilities Were Commenced.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Lord Rosebery made an important speech at Sheffield this evening. Everybody, he said, acquainted with the history of Russia for the last twelve years must feel an immense debt of obligation to the Czar, the watchword of whose reign was the worship of peace. The Czar would enjoy in history a reputation as a victor in peace, not less undisputed than the reputation of Cæsar and Napoleon as conquerors. The Premier extolled the Czar's absolutely conscientious devotion to truth in diplomatic as well as private matters. Great Britain, he said, had the highest possible interest in the continuation of the Czar's life and health, because if he should be removed the greatest guarantee of the peace of the world would disappear. (Applause.)

Referring to the recent meeting of the British cabinet, the Premier said that none of the alleged reasons for the summoning of the cabinet on that occasion were correct. The question of intervention between Japan and China was not discussed. No circular had been issued to the powers and no rebuff had been suffered from them. He would, he continued, state in general terms the government's policy in regard to China and Japan. It was impossible to regard with indifference a possible sudden destruction of the central government of China—a government already none too strong. Its destruction would involve appalling danger to every Christian in the Chinese empire—an overflow of a dangerous and barbarous element into every adjoining part of the world, implying the gravest possible catastrophe to Asiatic civilization. (Applause.)

The British government had learned from a very high and most convincing source that China was willing to concede honorable terms, materially exceeding Japan's demands, when the war was entered upon, and such as Japan could certainly accept without lessening her prestige and advantage. The ministry felt that they could not absolutely "pocket" this, and they did not found their hopes on overtures; but they thought it was their duty to sound the countries of Europe and the United States to ascertain whether, in their opinion, there was any possibility of China and Japan coming to terms on the basis indicated. The reception of Great Britain's approaches was remarkably favorable; the European powers seemed to feel that a common calamity overhung them, but one or two judged that the time had not arrived when conditions could with advantage be submitted to the combatants. Personally he was rather inclined to concur with the majority. It might be asked why he had consulted the powers at all, why he had not acted alone. He would reply that in a great catastrophe of this kind, the more powers were engaged in efforts towards peace so much the better was the prospect of their attaining their object. He believed that whenever it was possible every British foreign minister should obtain a concert of the powers. In international affairs, in such a case as the present, foreign ministers would have been culpable if they had not sought a concert of the powers. Moreover, in the jealous condition of affairs which the war had produced it would have been impossible for Great Britain to act as peacemaker without incurring the suspicions of other powers and all who were interested in the East.

Referring to Madagascar, Lord Rosebery said he doubted whether the name had even been mentioned between France and Great Britain. He hoped this would dispel all idea of contention between France and Great Britain in regard to Madagascar. France had undoubted rights in and a protectorate over Madagascar. As long as France did not exceed her rights, which there was no reason to suppose she would do, England could only abide by the treaty which she had herself signed. He admitted that there had been times in the last two years when he had felt anxiety over British relations with France. Friction had arisen in connection with adjoining colonies of France and Great Britain. The relations in respect to these colonies might be infinitely improved by care and conciliation on both sides. Negotiations were now proceeding for a settlement of open questions; but it was necessary to be patient. A settlement must not be expected too soon, because an incomplete settlement was worse than none at all. He did not fear that in any of these cases of friction Great Britain could blame herself for aggression or offence, although vital interests have been maintained. A government would be short-lived that did not absolutely respect a nation's rights.

In commenting on Lord Rosebery's speech in Sheffield, the Morning Post, while generally approving the Premier's remarks, will say that Palmerston or Beaconsfield would have had the courage to accept or refuse the request of mediation between the belligerents. If Lord Rosebery had the mastership of his own government he would probably have been independent."

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Daily News says: "All sensible Englishmen will agree that the ministry performed a plain obvious duty in approaching the powers. If they had sat with their hands folded they would have deserved the censure of parliament."

MONTREAL MATTERS.

A Woman of Many Cats—Father Chiniquy Dying—Fatal Fire in a Hotel—Wants Mr. Schreiber Arrested.

MONTREAL, Oct. 25. — (Special) — Mrs. Morley, of Longue Pointe, who keeps a hundred or more cats, has entered action for $5,000 against the Star, Herald and Le Monde for alleged libel. About a week ago Mrs. Morley had eight lads hauled up in the Police court for disturbing her peace of mindat Longue Pointe. They were fined $1 each. The newspapers in question treated the affair in a humorous way and now Mrs. Morley wants to get even with them.

Rev. Father Chiniquy is at the point of death. He caught a severe cold while returning from Albany, and his age almost precludes his recovery.

John McCall, an old time resident of this city died in London, England, yesterday. He came to Montreal in 1849.

At an early hour this morning a fire broke out in the Hotel de Normandie, St. Gilbert street. The flames breaking out in the kitchen cut off all means of escape from the upper stories, and frantic cries were heard within the building. A man named Roy was rescued from the third floor in an unconscious condition, badly burned, and it is believed will not live. Auguste Petrie, the cook, was smothered. He was found kneeling at his bedside and taken out into the open air, where attempts were made to revive him without avail. A man named Nantel also perished. The fire itself did not amount to much.

Le Monde demands the arrest of Collingwood Schreiber, government engineer, as being to blame in the Curran bridge scandal.

WAITING THE END.

The Czar Learns That His Case Is Hopeless With Great Bravery.

Trouble Predicted as to the Succession—Sombre Preparations Already Proceeding.

BERLIN, Oct. 25.—A Lividia dispatch confirms the reports that Princess Alix steadfastly refuses to anathematize her former faith in obedience to the rites of the orthodox Greek church. Even the efforts of the Czar have not shaken her determination. The swelling of the Czar's feet increases, but by the drawing off of water from them the bodily pain is much relieved.

The dispatch says the sacrament was partaken of by His Majesty on Sunday, and this is taken to indicate that his condition is not as serious as would be supposed from a former dispatch stating that the last sacrament of the church had been administered to him. The dispatch making this statement mentioned no date on which the sacrament was partaken of, and the supposition here now is that the Czar partook simply of holy communion on Sunday, as is his custom.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Gazette predicts trouble over the succession to the throne. He says: "The superstition following the death of Nicholas I, that no other Nicholas would be enthroned, revives. Fear of a renewal of the condition of affairs under the first Nicholas is deeply rooted. The feeling prevailing among the lower classes proves that they do not regard the Czarewitch as heir by the grace of God. Moreover, their views of autocracy have greatly changed."

The Czar heard the intimation of his physicians that his case was hopeless with great bravery. He at once ordered the settlement of the matter of succession to the imperial throne and expressed a wish to bestow his blessing upon the Czarewitch and Princess Alix.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—A Yalta dispatch says the state carriages, trappings, etc., to be used on the occasion of the marriage of the Czarewitch and the Princess Alix, together with the mourning coaches, garments of woe, etc., to be used in the event of the Czar's death, have arrived at Livadia.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Central News says: "Several persons have been arrested here for discussing in public places the theory that the Czar's malady is due to poison. An immense quantity of mourning draperies has been taken to the palace and stored in the antechamber. Other preparations are being made in all the churches in the capital. Special reporters at Yalta telegraph that they have received permission to visit Livadia. Father Ivan remains at Livadia. He officiates at daily religious services in Yalta. The church is always thronged and remarkable fervor is displayed by the congregation.

A dispatch received this evening says the Czar passed a painless day, though his weakness is increasing.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 25.—Rooms are being prepared for the Czarewitch in the winter palace. The work proceeds night and day. The manifesto to be issued on the occasion of the marriage of the Czarewitch is already printed, and 200,000 copies will be distributed on the wedding day.

The Czar's physicians issued a bulletin at 8 o'clock this evening saying: "During the day neither somnolence nor spasmodic symptoms have been observed. The patient's appetite is satisfactory. The oedema has not increased."

The Official Messenger, remarking on the profound sympathy for the Czar shown by the foreign press, says: "More deeply than any other state does France sympathize with him. How different would have been the relations of European countries had not the Russian throne been occupied by a peace-loving prince, whose chief aim is to live for the welfare of mankind."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25. — The Russian minister, Prince Cantacuzene, torday received the following telegram from the Russian minister of foreign affairs, St. Petersburg: "The Emperor had a few hours sleep Tuesday night. During yesterday (Wednesday) he had no drowsiness. His appetite and general disposition is better, but the swelling in the feet is a little augmented. Last Sunday the Emperor received holy communion. (Signed) Giers."

NEW WESTMINSTER NOTES.

Burglars Busily at Work—Howe Sound Indian Murder Story Revived—Salmon Shipments.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 25.—(Special)—J. Berry has been arrested charged with burglarizing the premises of William Barnes at Bon Accord. Burglars robbed McKee's slaughter house and the Delta hotel at Ladners on Wednesday. They have been successfully operating at Ladners for the past two weeks.

The Howe Sound Indian murder story has been again revived. Whiskey's Jack's klootchman disappeared under suspicious circumstances recently, and the Indians reported to the police that they thought her husband had made away with her. When Jack heard this he skipped out. Mr. Moresby has gone to Howe Sound to investigate.

Forty thousand barrels of salt salmon were shipped to Liverpool to-day. This trade is increasing wonderfully of late.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Sir John Macdonald's Memoirs to Be Issued November 22—Hudson Bay Railway.

Gatling Gun Howard Safe and Well—Fire Losses—Wiping Off Church Debt.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 25.—The memoir of Sir John Macdonald, written by Mr. Joseph Pope, his private secretary, will be published November 22. A Canadian edition will be published simultaneously with that issued in London.

The Manitoba and Northwest delegation had a conference with the members of the government this morning on Hudson Bay railway matters. A sub-committee of the cabinet will discuss the question.

The total losses by fire in this city for the nine months ending September 30 total $400,340.

The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church will make an effort to wipe off the debt on the church property, amounting to $15,000, on the occasion of its jubilee. At a meeting of the congregation last evening within half an hour nearly $10,000 were subscribed.

A telegram was received by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to-day from Mr. Cormier, government telegraph operator at Esquimaux Point, on the north shore of the St. Lawrence, the most easterly point to which the telegraph system extends. It reads as follows: Capt. Howard is below at Tete a la Baleine; all well. A dreadful storm was encountered, but the Howard party weathered it and made safe anchorage. This will be satisfactory news to the Captain's many friends in all parts of the Dominion.

HONORS FOR HANNEKEN.

Brevet Commander-in-Chief He, With Others, Receives the Peacock Feather.

Japanese Capture Chinese Works—Port Arthur Evacuated—Great Engagement Sunday.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—A Shanghai dispatch says the Emperor issued a decree yesterday decorating Major von Hanneken and creating him brevet commander-in-chief for meritorious conduct in the Yalu river naval action. Several others received the decoration of the peacock feather, and a number of others were decorated with the order of one star of the third class.

A Yokohama dispatch says General Oyamas' army corps, which was reported to have been engaged in the battle near Port Arthur, has landed at Seikiosso, China. The Japanese troops which have been operating in the North of Korea have cressed the Yalu river and entered Manchuria.

A dispatch from Wi Ju says the commander of the Japanese forces in Korea reports to his government that on October 24, with a detachment of 1,600 Japanese, he met a body of Chinese at Sukochin, across the Yalu river. The Chinese fled, leaving two cannon and considerable arms. The Chinese lost twenty killed or wounded. The Japanese suffered no loss. The Japanese seized the fort near the scene of the engagement. The main body of the Japanese are now crossing the Yalu river.

The Japanese force which crossed the Yalu river at Sukochin captured the Chinese works with a rush. The Chinese took refuge further down the river. The passage of the main body of the Japanese across the river will probably be made to-day. A report is current that the entire effective Chinese force is entrenched close to the Yalu river on the Moukden road. The main attack of the Chinese will be made on Sunday.

The Japanese legation have no confirmation of the report that the Japanese army under Field Marshal Count Oyama had landed near Port Arthur, but the report is credited nevertheless. The officials of the legation regard it as certain that the expedition of Oyama was sent to attack Port Arthur or Wei Hai Wei or both.

It is stated that Japan has again rejected the mediation of a foreign power in her dispute with China, while the latter country has expressed her readiness to accept an armistice on any reasonable condition.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 25 —It is reported here that the Chinese have evacuated Port Arthur. A report is also current that the Japanese have effected a landing at Talien Wan bay, on the Corean side of the Kwang Tung peninsula, not far from Port Arthur.

NORTHWEST ELECTIONS.

Additional Nominations to the Legislature—The Candidates.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 25.—The following additional Northwest nominations are reported: Mitchell, Hillyard Mitchell, of Duck Lake, by acclamation; Batoche, David Venne and Eugene Boucher; Kinistino, Captain W. F. Meyers and James Tennant; Lethbridge, C. A. McGrath, by acclamation; Cannington, S. S. Page and Neil. McConnachie; Prince Albert West, J. R. Reid and A. Campbell; Prince Albert East, J. F. Betts and James Taylor; Yorktown, F. R. Insinger and J. S. Crerar.

Smallpox at Windsor.

WINDSOR, Oct. 25.—Six members of the Reaume family, living on the Tecumseh road, six miles from Windsor, are down with smallpox. There are nine new cases in this vicinity.

The Diphtheria Remedy.

TORONTO, Oct. 25.—Arrangements have been made for testing the new anti-toxine remedy for diphtheria in Toronto. Only adults will be the subjects of the experiments.

Dyspepsia seldom causes death, but permits its victims to live on in misery. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

Hinde's hair curlers and crimpers at Fox's, 78 Government street.

MINING IN THE INTERIOR.

Strike at the Goodenough—Some Very Promising Prospects on Slocan Lake.

Mining on Kaslo Creek—Connection Between Five-Mile Point and Nelson.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

The O. K. stamp mill is running on ore that has been culled over three times and yet is found very profitable working.

A rich strike has been made on the Goodenough. It consists of a lead of high grade ore about a foot wide going on analysis from 900 to 1,100 dollars to the ton. The lead extends into the Ruecau. At present they are bagging it from the surface croppings.

Work has actually been commenced on the line from Five-Mile Point to Nelson. About forty men are employed to which number an increase will shortly be made, and the officials of the line confidently assert that it will reach Nelson in sixty days.

There are thirty-two men at work on the Le Roi mine, fifteen men at the War Eagle, eight at the O.K. and four at the Cliff. The Nickel Plate and Josie will also resume work as soon as snow comes for sleighing. The Le Roi alone will ship thirty tons a day as soon as sleighing commences, and the others together probably as much more.

At the foot of Slocan lake the claims on which the most recent strikes have been made are reached from the foot of the lake (Slocan) by going eight miles up Springer creek without a trail. They are almost on the divide between this and Ten-Mile creek, which flows into Slocan lake about six miles south of Four-Mile creek, and were staked by Con Fielding and R. Cooper. The ore found was a high grade dry ore similar to that discovered on the Fisher Maiden. No work has been done on these claims, as snow would soon stop work at that altitude unless preparations had been made.

(From the Nelson Tribune.)

The Canadian Pacific railway and the Omaha smelter people seem to be corraling the ore business of South Kootenay. This week they got two carloads of ore from the Silver King mine, ore that heretofore has gone to Denver.

A number of Chinamen have taken up seven placer claims on Kaslo creek, about one mile out of town, recording the same for two years. They have built a large, comfortable house and are busily engaged in making sluice boxes and clearing the ground. It is estimated they will make about $1 per day to the man.

Dan. Clark, one of the pioneer prospectors and miners of Ainsworth, is the owner of the Lady of the Lake claim in Hot Springs camp, and in another season it is likely to bring him a fortune.

The gold output of Kootenay will this year approximate a total of $200,000, made up as follows:

Mining Division.	*Gravel.*	*Quartz.*
Trail Creek		$150,000
Nelson	$ 8,000	20,000
Trout Lake	2,000	
Revelstoke	10,000	
Fort Steele	10,000	
Total	$30,000	$170,000

At Bell's camp G. E. McCoy is in over 200 feet with the tunnel on the Pauper's Dream, and thinks 50 feet more will take him to the vein. Messrs. Winstead, Smith and Moore have purchased the Kaslo.

(From the Chilliwack Progress.)

One of the most prominent and interesting episodes of the week was the ceremony of opening the court house. It was impressive in its simplicity. In opening the new building Judge Bole said that the people had reason to be proud of the material and social prosperity of the town. When he first came here law was administered in a school house, now used as a crockery store; afterwards it was meted out in an upper room. Now he was glad that they had come to a solid foundation in their own building. The building is certainly a credit to the community, and reflects credit on Contractor A. C. Henderson.

In his speech inaugurating the Chilliwack show, Hon. Col. Baker contrasted his last visit, when the water was over everything, with the present prosperous appearance of things. He spoke of the advantages the farmers here enjoyed in the matter of soil, sun and shower, and congratulated them on the fine show they were able to make. He referred to the large amount of farm produce imported to B. C. Two-thirds of the food used in this province was imported. Last year there was imported 2,650,000 lbs. of butter, 3,333,000 lbs. of bacon, 617,000 dozen eggs, and other articles in like proportion. There was room for producers. This was a blot on the province and hoped to see it removed. He said the local government was in communication with the Dominion government in regard to a dyking scheme. They would have the district examined by a competent surveyor, and also the mountains to see if the water there could not be kept in check by dams and reservoirs as in India, and the amount let down the river would be graduated so as to prevent an overflow.

OYSTER PLANTING.

An Experiment in Willapa Bay Watched With Much Interest.

SOUTH BEND, Oct. 24.—Charles H. Townsend, of the fish commission, is here making preparations for planting a car load of Eastern oysters in Willapa bay. Two years ago he visited the bay and, in an exhaustive report, expressed the opinion that the Eastern oysters would propagate as well here as in San Francisco bay. He is still of that opinion. Suitable beds have been selected by him at the mouth of the Willapa river, in Palix channel and in Billy's channel, near Sealands. Mr. Townsend desires to place the oysters in sufficiently deep water, and a portion of them at least, as far back from the sea as possible, in order that they may have the benefit of as high summer temperature as can be secured, as the spawn might otherwise be killed. The oystermen are co-operating with him heartily and will protect and care for the Eastern oyster plants. They regard the success of the experiment as of vital importance to them now that the small, but well flavored, native oysters are disappearing gradually, on account of the heavy demand for them.

FEDERAL DEFENCE.

Australian Colonial Commanders Conferring in the Event of Complications.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Oct. 25.—The commanders of the military forces in the Australian colonies are conferring here concerning a scheme of federal defence. The conference is prompted by a desire to be prepared for the event of possible complications.

THE TERMINAL CITY.

Vancouver's Reception of the Governor-General—The Fraser River Sufferers.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 25.—(Special)—Vancouver will probably accept Ald. Salisbury's proposition as to the manner of receiving the Governor-General. That is to have a continuous guard of honor reaching from the station to the Hotel Vancouver, where the reception will take place. The school children are to take part in the proceedings, and the opera house will probably be placed at their disposal.

The Vancouver branch of the relief committee for the Fraser river sufferers shipped $200 worth of goods yesterday for distribution.

Mr. Justice Crease has given judgment in the case of Quinn vs. Anderson. Mr. Quinn, who is a tailor here, stored his mother-in-law's effects, valued by him at $500, in a warehouse. Quinn owed money to Mr. Anderson, the present mayor, and he, thinking the effects mentioned belonged to Quinn, seized the lot and sold them at auction for $90. Judgment was given to the plaintiff for $475.

Geo. Rugler had his arm so shattered by the accidental discharge of a gun that part of the member had to be amputated. When returning home from hunting he left the gun loaded and forgot he had done so.

The examination of F. C. Cotton as judgment debtor has been adjourned for one week.

Murrell, an Italian who committed a disturbance when the shacks were being torn down and who has been in jail ever since, was liberated to-day and bound over to keep the peace.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Need of the Commercial Street Causeway—What the Delay in Its Construction Means.

NANAIMO, Oct. 25.—(Special.)—The problem of the Commercial street causeway is just now occupying a large share of the attention of those interested in municipal affairs. Ald. Nightingale's by-law to raise $10,500 to be expended in filling in the ravine now spanned by the Commercial street bridge has passed a second reading and appears to be a popular measure. The need for the improvement has been accentuated by a recent communication from the water company, pointing out that while the company is anxious to give the city increased water facilities this will be almost impossible until the completion of the causeway gives a chance to safely convey the large main across the ravine. According to the engineer's estimates about 22,000 yards of material will be required to establish the 66 feet roadway which is contemplated. The New Vancouver Coal Co. has made a bid for the work, which favoring circumstances render them able to do far cheaper than would be possible for any competitor.

BRITISH COLUMBIA COAL.

Its Utilization by U. S. Naval Authorities Regarded With Lively Satisfaction.

NANAIMO, Oct. 25.—(Special)—The U. S. naval department's action in endorsing the superior quality of the British Columbia coal by placing large orders in this section is regarded with feelings of most lively satisfaction by all concerned locally. It is regarded as an advertisement of the biggest kind, and the wail of the Sound papers only helps the thing along.

HEBREWS AND THE CZAR.

They are not Distracted at His Majesty's Approaching Death.

TACOMA, Oct. 25.—Prominent Hebrews here, some of whom have relatives in Russia, speak as follows about the Czar: "God has been appealed to for years by those whom the Czar oppressed. If there is a just God, a God to whom prayers are now being offered by order of the Greek church, He surely would answer their supplications before he would the favors asked in behalf of the despot. Those who have been oppressed, are not distracted at the Czar's approaching death. He has oppressed Jew and Gentile alike. Only members of his Greek church can hold office in Russia. When special prayers are called for by the Czar the tokens of other religions are removed from view. Siberia gave birth to the worst form of nihilism, until the Czar could not trust his nearest relatives, not alone his cooks, but his sons. This living in fear of one's shadow is perhaps punishment enough, but God would quite likely have answered the prayers of the oppressed in striking down the Czar before He would answer the formal prayers of the Greek church to spare his life in order that despotic oppression might continue."

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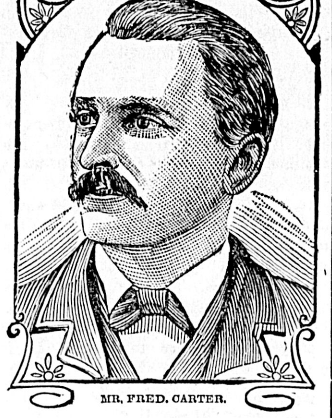
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FRED. CARTER, Haney, B. C.

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Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted, will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A competent young woman for general housework. Mrs. Sargison, 82 Menzies street. oc25

WANTED—A small furnished cottage within short distance of post office. Apply N.C., Colonist office. oc24 3t

WANTED—By a first-class job printer, good compositor and pressman, situation as foreman or journeyman. Eleven years' experience in best offices in Dominion. Apply Wm. P. Evans, Edmonton, Alberta. oc23 4t

WANTED—At 81 Johnson street, ladies' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, boots and shoes. se27-1m

THE man who took the first prize (a gold medal) at the International Exhibition, London, England, 1893, makes the Jams and Jellies for Okell & Morris. au7-3m

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FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows. Apply to James W. Meldram, Douglas St. oc25-6t

FOR SALE—A Snap—Two fine lots 120 by 135, corner of Jubilee avenue and Oak Bay avenue; price for the two $700. A. W. More & Co., 79 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—A Bargain—Lot on Fort street, 50x120, only $700; also 3¾ acres all cleared, close to town, a bargain at $500. A. W. More & Co, 70 Douglas street.

TO LET OR LEASE.

FOR RENT—Bar and billiards complete; now running; old stand; on one of the best business streets in this city. Address O.K., Colonist office. oc21-4t

TO LET—Furnished house, 7 rooms; brick basement; no garden; rent $25, complete. Apply B, Colonist office. oc23-6t

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms; one on upper floor, one on lower; ten minutes' walk from postoffice; hot and cold water. Apply to 66 Rae street. oc20

TO LET—Modern six roomed house in central situation, one room let to a doctor which reduces the rent. Apply to Heisterman & Co, 75 Government St. oc18-1m

TO LET—First class house with modern conveniences, corner Menzies and Niagara streets, very best locality, on tram car line, near the sea. Apply 138 Menzies street. se30-1m

TO LET—Furnished room, with use of sitting room; breakfast if desired; in private family, James Bay. Address H., Colonist office. se27-1m

TO LET—Two four-roomed cottages; rent $6.00, including water. One cottage, five rooms, bath, etc.; rent $8.00. Apply Mrs. P. Wilson, grocer, 185 Douglas street. se27-1m

FOR RENT or sale—To one or more parties, Gray's factory on Government street, for storage or stables; also one farm, 156 acres with improvements; one work horse. Apply 173 Government street. se26-1m

TO LET—Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $18; water paid. Ten-roomed house; hot and cold water: 2 lots; Garbally Road; $20. Two cottages, Pandora street, $10, water paid. Corner store and four large rooms, stable, etc.; Government street; $15. Seven-roomed house, bath and stable, with frontage on the Gorge, and commanding fine view, $20. Four-roomed cottages and three acres of land, about 1½ miles from post office: $16 per month.

TO LET—Furnished—Nine-roomed house; bathroom; hot and cold water, etc.; two lots in garden; good situation; James Bay.

BARGAINS—For sale—43 acres good farming land, close to town; considerable cleared; $70 per acre.

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LOST OR FOUND.

STRAYED from Topaz Avenue on Saturday, a red Cow with tipped horns. A reward will be given if returned to 53 Hillside Avenue. oc24 6t

FOUND—A pearl-headed pin with monogram. Owner can obtain property at this office on paying for advertisement. oc24

FOR a good 25c meal go to the Queen's Restaurant (formerly the Empire Restaurant) and you will get the best 25c. meal in the city; meal tickets, $4.00. oc25-1w

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Is a short distance from the E. & N. Railway Line at either end of the property, and the Victoria and Nanaimo Wagon Road passes through it, therefore it is specially well located for shipping purposes. Excellent Shooting and Fishing is to be had on the property and in the Koksilah River. Deer, Grouse, Duck and Geese abound. In fact Hyde Farm is well located for all practical and pleasureable purposes, and is a chance not often met with for a man of moderate means to secure a small estate, which is sure to become extremely valuable, as the development of the Island progresses. In the meantime its utilization for Mixed Farming or Cattle Raising Purposes would bring in a fair income.

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NOTICES.

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the North Riding of Yale Electoral District:

WHEREAS, a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly, by the acceptance of office of the Honourable George Bohun Martin, a member of the North Riding of Yale Electoral District, we command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given you do cause Election to be made according to law, of one member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the North Riding of Yale Electoral District, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the ....day of....next, and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before 15th day of November next, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Oursaid Province of British Columbia. WITNESS: The Honourable Edgar Dewdney, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the 5th day of October, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

By command.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
oc7 Registrar of the Supreme Court.

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia at Our City of Victoria.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

THEODORE DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature:

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on Monday, the Twelfth day of the month of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable EDGAR DEWDNEY, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-seventh day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and in the fifty-eighth year of Our reign.

By Command.
JAMES BAKER,
se28-td Provincial Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving petitions for Private Bills will expire on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1894.

Private Bills must be presented on or before Monday, the third day of December, 1894.

Dated this 8th October, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
oc9 tf Clerk of the House.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	20th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	12th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au16

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

CABLE ITEMS.

Explosion on a French Cruiser—Socialist Haunts Raided and Arrests Made.

General Amnesty in Chili—Thorough Examination of Grand Trunk Affairs Demanded.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Fire at San Miguel, Manita, Philippine islands, on September 21, destroyed property valued at $500,000.

The boiler of the French cruiser Arethuse, lying in the harbor of Brest, exploded this morning. Six were killed and twenty injured.

Details of the earthquake in Sakata, Japan, say nearly three thousand houses were destroyed and two hundred and sixty persons killed. A large number were injured.

In the last few days a number of societies of "socialist workers" have been suppressed throughout Italy and a quantity of documents seized. During the raids on the meeting places of the socialists in Verona five men were arrested for cheering the name of the murderer of Carnot.

During the consecration of a church in the village of Trokh, near Osterovianski, in the Don province, Russia, a lamp was upset, a cry of fire was raised and a panic followed. During the rush for the doors two women and three children were trampled to death and twenty-seven were seriously injured.

The Swedish schooner Alene, loaded with gunpowder, was blown up at Peterhead, 25 miles from Aberdeen, Scotland. Within two minutes after the explosion nothing was seen on the surface of the water but splinters from the schooner. All the crew perished.

The Chilian government has granted general amnesty to all persons accused of political offences prior to August 28, 1889 The effect of this amnesty is to pardon the adherents of ex President Balmaceda on the day he was forced to resign, and does not extend to those who resisted the new government formed after the ex-president's abdication.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "We are justified in stating that the opposition in the Grand Trunk meeting on October 30 will be strongly supported. Doubts concerning the state of the accounts must be cleared up, The shareholders should support the demand for an investigation." The article further says Presiden Tyler of the road appears to be reaping the fruits of his ambitious policy of amalgamations, leases and guarantees.

SOCIALIST DEMOCRATS.

Disorderly Conduct Compels the Closing of Debate—Agrarian Needs the Paramount Question.

FRANKFORT, Oct. 25.—There was an exciting scene in the Social Democratic congress this morning over the resumption of attacks upon the Bavarians, which soon lapsed into a running fire of personal taunts. The shouts and other noises became so general throughout the hall that the debate was closed amid great excitement. A resolution declaring Bavarian parliamentary tactics expedient was rejected by a vote of 141 to 93. Herr Stadthagen's motion empowering the socialists to support the provincial governments on condition that such support would not imply acquiescence in the existing social system—of confidence in the government, was carried by a vote of 164 to 64. Herr Schoenlanck opened the agrarian question in the afternoon session. He said that the peasants must be won over to the socialists or they would fall a prey to the anti-Semites, and that the socialist attitude toward the agrarians hitherto had been wrong. Herr Vollmar contended that the present situation of the peasants was unbearable, and that the socialists might win them over with care and patience. The moment was propitious, he said, for agitating. The Socialists must adopt their economic theories to agrarian needs. The majority of the German workers were agrarians, therefore it was idiotic to hope for a revolution while the peasants were ignorant of, or opposed to, the aspirations of socialism. He urged that an agrarian committee be named to formulate a special programme, the importance of which he said was proved by the fact that the threatened repressive measures were due to a fear that the socialists would capture the peasantry. Herr Vollmar was much applauded.

WHEAT WAREHOUSE AT TACOMA.

Accommodations for Two Million Bushels for the Northern Pacific.

TACOMA, Oct. 25.—The Northern Pacific has completed arrangements with the Tacoma Land Company for the latter to build a 2,000,000 bushel wheat warehouse, 750 by 200 feet, two stories high, the same to be completed at the commencement of next season's grain shipments of wheat. The warehouse will be located on the water front, below the railroad's general office building, and will increase the storage capacity of local elevators to 5,000,000 bushels. The Northern Pacific is now unloading all grain as fast as it arrives, but this necessitates night work, and the big warehouse is to be provided to relieve the present pressure and provide for the increasing business.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

An Onslaught on Anthracite Coal Shares Breaks the Monotony.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The monotony of the stock exchange was rudely disturbed to-day by a sudden onslaught on the anthracite coal shares. The total sales were 911,150. Closing bids: Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 5⅛; Burlington & Quincy, 73⅛; Canada Southern, 50¾; Canadian Pacific, 64⅞; Delaware & Lackawanna, 163¼; Erie, 11⅜; Wells Fargo Express, 110; Great Northern, preferred, 100; Lake Shore, 134½; Louisville & Nashville, 53⅞; Central Pacific, 98¾; New England, third certificates, 31⅛; North American Co., 3⅞; Northern Pacific, 4⅛; Northern Pacific, preferred, 16⅞; Northwest, 102¾; Oregon Navigation, 20; Oregon Improvement, 15⅛; Pacific Mail, 19; Reading, 17¼; Rock Island, 60⅞; St. Paul, 61; Texas Pacific, 9⅞; Union Pacific, 11½; Western Union, 87⅜. Bar silver, 63⅜c. per ounce.

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"Camelline," the peerless beautifier and preservative of the complexion, received the special and unusual distinction of the highest possible award of honor over all competitors at the Midwinter Exposition for purity, effectiveness, and absolute freedom from injurious substances. Sold by druggists.

CONTRACT VS. DAY LABOR.

Interesting Comparison of Results Made at the United States Capital.

For the further information of those who are still discussing the relative merits of contract and day labor as applied to public works, and more particularly the Fort street sewer, the proposed construction of which by day labor is the subject of an appeal now before the council, a correspondent has kindly furnished the following:

On page 325 of the Annual Report of Commissioners of the District of Columbia for the year ending June 30, 1893, the cost of sewers, per lineal foot, for fiscal year 1892-3, 12-inch pipe, is shown to have been: per lineal foot, contract price, $1.62.9, and by day labor $1.60.6; and in every size of drain and sewer a slight difference, except in the case of 21-inch pipe, is noted in favor of day labor. An explanatory note states:—"Nearly all of the work performed by day labor was on jobs in alleys and of short lengths, which work necessarily cost more than that under the more favorable circumstances involved in the work performed under contract." In commenting on the schedule of prices the report says:

"The material used by the sewer department during the year has been purchased by contract, and the work of construction has also been done under contract. Thanks to exceptionally good contractors, a very efficient staff of inspectors, and to unremitting watchfulness on the part of the other officers of the department, the work done under contract is of excellent quality. It is to be observed, however, that the 26,344 feet of pipe sewer constructed by hired labor has cost somewhat less than the corresponding contract work, and is, on the whole, of better quality; and these results are obtained with greater certainty and much less friction than under the contract system, which is ill adapted to underground work, where close inspection is difficult to secure.

The report further says that "under the existing law work costing over $1,000 must be done under contract—even if it can be done more cheaply and better by hired labor and purchase in open market. This is certainly not good policy. It may be the lesser of two evils under the ordinary form of municipal government."

PACIFIC CABLE.

The San Francisco "Bulletin" Sees No Need for the Cession of Territory.

Hawaii Will Doubtless Give What Protection Is Required to the Station.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—The Bulletin this evening says: "For some time past British and Canadian contractors have been figuring on plans for a cable from Vancouver to Australia via Hawaii. The cost of this cable is put in round numbers at $10,000,000. One of the leading promoters of this cable enterprise is Sandford Fleming. He advocates government ownership, believing a better service will be secured thereby. He is responsible for most of the estimates that have been made. Whether the British government is to own the cable or it is to be in the hands of a chartered company it is certain that the government is behind the enterprise. The news by the last steamer from Hawaii is that the British commission represented by Fleming wants a lease of Neckar Island, a small island some 500 miles from Hawaii, and also wants a subsidy of $35,000 a year from the Hawaiian government for fifteen years. What the British government really wants is the cession of this island. A short time ago it was literally 'no man's land.' The Hawaiian government took possession of it and claimed it by right of occupation. It did not want British occupation of an island so near to Hawaii. The present Hawaiian government has had a great deal of trouble by reason of British antagonism and does not want any further interference. Next to an American cable between this port and Honolulu, Hawaii might appreciate a cable between Vancouver and an Australian port with a midway station at Hawaii. They will do nothing to disturb the relations of the republic with the United States. It is not probable that there would be any formidable obstacle in the way of landing a marine cable, say at Honolulu. Private individuals could make the necessary lease of the land and the Hawaiian government would probably grant all the needful protection. If all that is really wanted is a safe and convenient place to land a marine cable on Hawaiian soil, there would be no need for the cession of any territory. The cable proposed would be a good thing for Hawaii and the Pacific Coast. It may also be a good thing for the promoters. That good thing can be secured without the concession of a foot of territory to any foreign power."

A PREMIER'S JOKE.

The Wish No Doubt the Father of the Thought of the First Minister of New Zealand.

AUCKLAND, Oct. 24.—The New Zealand parliament was prorogued to-day. In summarizing the work of the session the Premier said jocularly: "If the Samoan difficulty had been entrusted to New Zealand it would soon be settled. I believe the time is coming when the islands in this part of the Pacific will look to New Zealand as the colonies now look to Great Britain."

HELMBOLD, THE MEDICINE MAN.

Death of the Inventor of the Well Known Buchu Remedy.

TRENTON, Oct. 25.—Dr. Helmbold, the famous patent medicine man and one time millionaire, died at the State Asylum yesterday aged 56 Apoplexy was the cause of death. He became insane a dozen years ago, and was confined in Norristown, Pa., asylum, but was released through the efforts of his wife.

NOTICE.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valley.

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Dean & Cryderman,
Victoria, British Columbia,

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Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1893.
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SAMUEL JOHN BOOTH.
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For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
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There are some who say that in these days the children of the people are over-educated. This is quite a mistake. They are not over-educated but they are wrongly educated. They are not, in fact, educated enough. Introducing manual work into the schools will make education in them more symmetrical as well as more practical.

We trust that the Trustees of the city schools will heartily co-operate with the Minister of Education in adding manual training to the curriculum of the schools under their superintendence. There will not be much difficulty or much expense in introducing this improvement and the benefits flowing from it will, we are satisfied, be very great.

A BARBAROUS PRACTICE.

The hazing case in the Kingston Military College has created quite a stir in the Eastern part of the Dominion. We are not surprised at this, for it might be expected that in such a college discipline would be maintained and that the rules would be such as to make barbarous and ungentlemanly practices such as are read of impossible. Hazing is very far from being an innocent frolic or a rough but harmless practical joke. The victim is beset by a crowd of students and tortured and humiliated in the most brutal and, we must add, in the most cowardly way. One would never suspect that young men capable of committing such an outrage as was perpetrated on Cadet Plummer were the sons of gentlemen and expected themselves to occupy the position of gentlemen. A pack of city roughs could not have acted in a more barbarous and unfeeling manner than did these military cadets. It is singular that a crowd of students will sometimes act in a manner in which not one of them when alone would dream of acting. When such a crowd confines itself to singing and yelling and playing rough tricks, it is annoying enough to those who are compelled to listen and to suffer, but when it becomes cruel and tyrannical it is time for the authorities to step in and show those who compose it that students, even when they are amusing themselves, are expected to act like civilized men.

BAULKED.

A mob of howling lynchers were baulked in Washington, Ohio, the other day. An abominable crime had been perpetrated in the neighborhood. A negro was accused of committing it and was arrested. As soon as the news of his arrest was known a mob collected and demanded the surrender of the alleged criminal. The sheriff was firm and in order to insure the safety of the prisoner he pursued a rather singular course. The grand jury was summoned and the prisoner was brought before it. Fearing every moment that the mob would break into the court house and tear him limb from limb he pleaded guilty and was at once sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment, which is the extreme penalty of the law in the State of Ohio for his offence. The sheriff had also taken the precaution to telegraph for troops, and two companies of militia were despatched to Washington. They were on the ground when the trial, such as it was, took place. The crowd, when they heard what had been done, became very violent. They were bound to get the prisoner before he could be transferred to the State's prison. Col. Colt, the officer commanding the militia, remonstrated with the rioters, but without avail. They threatened the soldiers and proceeded to batter down the gates of the jail. Col. Colt begged and prayed them to desist, but his forbearance was misunderstood, for the crowd proceeded to insult the soldiers and to throw stones at them. They were again warned, but they paid no attention to what was said to them. Finding that it was impossible to prevent the seizure of the prisoner unless force was used he ordered the troops to fire on the mob. The result was that three were killed and ten or more wounded. The mob scattered and fled, but they renewed the attack on the jail, which they threatened to blow up with dynamite. General Howe sent more troops to reinforce the beleaguered garrison of the jail, and when the mob saw that they could not wreak their vengeance on the prisoner without great loss of life they desisted.

The woman assaulted identified the prisoner as the man who had committed the crime, but it is now said that she had made a mistake. The man pleaded guilty in order to be removed to the State's prison, for he knew that if he remained twenty-four hours in Washington he would be lynched. We observe that the American newspapers approve of the conduct of the authorities, and are glad to see that the supremacy of the law has been maintained, even though it has been done at the cost of several lives.

"THE REVOLT OF THE RICH."

The Hon. Auberon Herbert is a courageous man. He comes out in the London Times as the advocate of an unpopular cause and as the champion of a class that has but few friends among the politicians of these days. He, in the plainest and most straightforward manner, relates what he looks upon as the grievances of the rich. He urges rich men to stand up for their rights, to organize to resist the encroachments that are continually being made upon the rights of property by the politicians of both parties. Mr. Herbert is not in the least mealy-mouthed. He writes of the wrongs of the rich in the most earnest manner. He evidently believes that they are suffering injustice at the hands of political men, and that if they do not take their own part they will suffer greater injustice still. He, in short, counsels revolt, and he tries to show that revolt is not only justifiable but absolutely necessary.

He begins by saying that the Times will not print his letter if he blurts out "brutal truths," and then proceeds to blurt out those brutal truths.

"The truth is," he proceeds to say, "that no political party under present conditions, by whatever name you call it, can protect, or really intends to protect, either the property or the rights of the individual. Either of the two parties, if out of office, may make eloquent speeches when the other party interferes with property or personal rights, but in truth the *raison d'etre* of both parties is to sacrifice to that entity called the public the rights and property of the individual. Both parties are in the same line of business, both deal in the same wares. They are both suitors for 'pretty Fanny's' hand, and they must both win their way into the affections of that practically-minded young lady by the same presents, the same services. The best-intentioned Government, with a due appreciation of 'Pretty Fanny's' grateful feelings, can hardly avoid a certain monotony of conduct. Securing votes in a mass is a great leveller of distinctions."

With both parties combined against the owners of property, Mr. Herbert counsels action:

"What," he goes on to say, "is the moral of these brutal truths? It is that those persons who are seriously determined that property shall not be thrown into the public melting pot must practically (they may still call themselves Liberals or Conservatives if it amuses them) separate themselves from both the political parties and organize themselves for distinct definite ends. All political parties as at present organized, are mere devices for befooling their members and for using them up in the great game, as long as there is anything left to use in them. They are more open dens for plucking pigeons. * * * It is time now in a word that there should be a revolt of the rich. There are moments in the national life when not to have the courage to stand upon and maintain your own rights is to fail in your truest duty to the whole community; when to drift in indifference and apathy, whether under a sense of fatalism or under the guidance of an unreal sentimentalism is the worst public treason of which a man can be guilty, and such a moment has now come."

Making due allowance for class prejudices and partialities, there is food for thought in this protest which Auberon Herbert makes on the part of the rich. The socialistic and communistic doctrines that are in different forms held and taught by so many in Great Britain are calculated to create a feeling of uneasiness in the minds of the owners of property, and to convince them that the time is not far off when property will have to make a stand for its rights. That contest may be precipitated by men who are not themselves revolutionists, but who may be the unconscious tools of revolutionists.

It is not surprising that some men in the Old Country when they hear and see what is going on around them, have taken the alarm and are making preparations for the contest which they believe to be inevitable and not far off. We believe that they magnify the danger. There is a large Conservative element in society, not confined to one party or one class, which will hold the revolutionists in check and which will prevent serious injustice being done. Those who compose this element know that when bold and unjustifiable encroachments are made on the rights of property, the rich will not be the only sufferers. They do not need to be told that it is absolutely impossible for a country in which the rights of property are not respected to prosper, and that when a country ceases to prosper the poor and those who live by their labor suffer immeasurably more than the rich. We believe, therefore, that the "revolt" which Mr. Herbert apprehends and exhorts the class he belongs to to prepare for is yet far off, and that if the people are intelligent and well guided it will never come at all.

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J. P. WALLS,
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oc19-2w 14 Bastion Square, Victoria.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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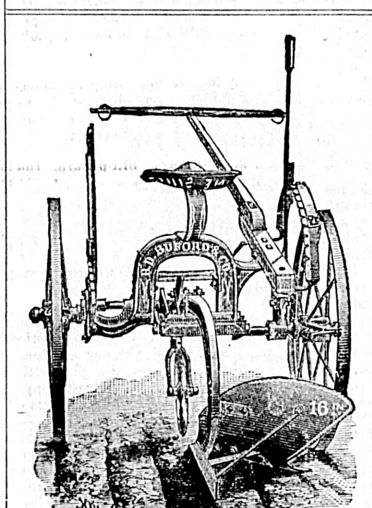

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THE CITY.

THERE will be initiation and work in the first degree at to-night's meeting of Peerless lodge, I O.O.F.

IT is understood that the admirers of Dalton McCarthy are getting up a McCarthy club in the city.

A SPECIAL meeting of the city council has been called for 10 o'clock this morning. A number of important communications are to receive consideration.

VICTORIA lodge No. 17, K. of P., will hold a social dance on the evening of November 7. Tickets are now on sale and may be purchased from the committee.

THE council of the Board of Trade meet this morning at 11 o'clock to discuss the draft of an address which the board will present to the Governor-General when he visits Victoria.

THE luncheon given yesterday by the ladies of the auxiliary committee of the Jubilee hospital at the A.O.U.W. hall was well patronized, and a nice little sum was realized for the benefit of the hospital.

SINCE the legal firm of Belyea & Gregory has dissolved partnership Mr. Gregory retains the offices formerly occupied by the firm in the Board of Trade building, Mr. Belyea moving into another set of rooms on the same floor.

A DIAMOND drill arrived at Mayne Island on Tuesday of this week and the work of boring for coal has commenced on property belonging to Mr. John Deacon, at Village Bay. The drill is the property of Vancouver capitalists at whose head is Mr. C. D. Rand, and was brought direct from the East.

THE Victoria theatre orchestra, under Mr. J. M. Finn's personal management, are to give a series of social dances in the A. O. U. W. hall, commencing next Thursday evening, November 1. Admission will be by invitation only and the music will be the best, while the parties will be kept strictly select from the beginning.

PERCY E. WHITTALL was again in the police court yesterday, his case, after the evidence of Constable Perdue had been received, being remanded until to-day. Mr. Thomas W. Carter, who is an important witness in the case, is now lying at the point of death, his stroke of paralysis being pronounced necessarily fatal by the physicians in attendance. Another important witness has been drinking heavily during the past few days and failed to turn up in the police court in obedience to the summons. A warrant was issued yesterday for his arrest and detention as a necessary witness.

ROBERT CORRIN, who was recently committed for trial by the police magistrate, on a charge of burglary, came up for election before Mr. Justice Crease yesterday. Corrin, it will be remembered, went to visit his friend Mr. W. H. Turnbull on the night of the 12th inst., and finding the people in the house asleep, climbed through a window and stole a quantity of silverware. He chose yesterday to have a speedy trial and pleaded guilty, saying that he was drunk when he committed the burglary. He was sentenced to six months' imprisonment without hard labor. The sentence of one month given him in the police court for stealing from the Windsor hotel will run concurrently.

JOHN CAREW, who has made Victoria his home for some years past, indulged in a little spree on Wednesday evening which promises to cost him dearly. He was standing near the bar in the Palace saloon when a Chinaman named Yoo Lee Ching came in and ordered a glass of beer. He was served and was in the act of drinking when Carew, who is a strongly anti-Chinese man, grabbed him. When the Chinaman finally got away he was not exactly sure whether he had been through the battle of Pingyang or had merely had a round with a threshing machine. Yesterday the tables were turned and Carew was in the police court charged with an aggravated assault on the Celestial. His only defence was the explanation that he had been drinking and knew nothing of what he had been doing. The Magistrate committed him to stand his trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM, the Yates street grocer who was found in his storeroom on the night of August 6 with a bullet wound just behind the right ear—evidently self-inflicted—was formally charged in the police court yesterday with attempting to commit suicide. He was pale, haggard and exceedingly nervous in appearance, and manifested no desire to cross-examine either of the three witnesses whose testimony made up Chief Sheppard's case. These were C. Smith and Robert Dudgeon, who suspecting something amiss entered the store through the cellar and found Mr. Rowbotham lying in a pool of blood; and Dr. Frank W. Hall, who attended the injured man. The latter described the serious nature of the wound, and in concluding his evidence said: "I attended him until two or three weeks ago, when I saw no further necessity of doing so. Mr. Rowbotham was then as well as he is now—as well as he can hope ever to be, for he will never recover." Neither of the three witnesses could remember if Mr. Rowbotham had given any explanation of how his wound was caused; and there was nothing whatever in the evidence, other than inference, pointing to attempt at suicide. Magistrate Macrae felt it his duty, however, to send the matter for trial in the higher court. Mr. Rowbotham's recognizance was fixed at $500—himself in $250 and Mr. G. H. Brown in the same amount.

IRWIN'S handbook of the Canadian Tariff (revised) has been received from the publisher in Toronto.

CHEAM lodge, No. 28, I.O O.F., has secured incorporation under the Benevolent Societies] act of 1891.

HON. MR. DAVIE meets the Dominion cabinet at Ottawa to-day to discuss various matters relating to British Columbia.

A GENERAL meeting of the directors of the Jubilee hospital is called for next Monday evening, at the usual hour and place.

THE Red Mountain Railway Co. will at the approaching session of the legislature ask for further time in which to commence and complete their road.

THE B. C. Gazette of yesterday contains the formal order, signed by Mr. Justice Drake last Saturday, dis-incorporating and dissolving the Canada Western Hotel Co., Ltd., of this city.

THE lacrosse minstrels had a very good practice in the Pioneer hall last evening. Everything is now running smoothly, the rehearsals and the enthusiasm generally manifested being indicative of an excellent performance.

IN yesterday's issue of the B C. Gazette, Mr. W. S. Gore, deputy commissioner of lands and works, gives formal notice that all vacant crown lands in the Bella Coola valley have been reserved and will be held until further notice for the purposes of settlement.

REV. ALEX. SUTHERLAND, D D, of Toronto, missionary secretary of the Methodist church, is on his way to Victoria and will preach in the Centennial church at 11 a.m., and in the Metropolitan at 7 p m. Sunday. Many remember the Doctor's eloquent sermons and addresses while visiting the city some years ago, and will rejoice in the opportunity of hearing him again.

AT THE next session of the Legislative Assembly application will be made for the passage of a private bill incorporating and authorizing the applicants to acquire from the Victoria Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited, or from any trustee of the company, all or any portion of their mining properties in Cariboo, and consolidating the mining claims and leases now held by, or that may hereafter be acquired by the applicants, into one holding, with a demise thereof from the crown for a term of years. All the usual supplementary privileges are asked by the new company.

UNANTICIPATED complications having occurred in the case of Bailey, the Pachena Indian shot in the leg some nights ago by Sergeant Levin, it was found necessary to amputate his leg above the knee, and the operation was performed at the Jubilee hospital yesterday. The Indian is now in a very weak condition, and a fatal result would not surprise the attending surgeons. Sergeant Levin feels keenly his position in the affair, even while he knows that he had no other recourse but to act as he did. The other officers of the force and the public generally agree with him, while admitting the case to be a most unfortunate one. The sergeant's report to his chief upon the circumstances of the shooting is now in the hands of the police commissioners and an investigation will probably be held.

"WORDSWORTH, the Nature poet," was the subject of Mrs. (Dr.) A. T. Watt's lecture at St. Ann's academy yesterday. Wordworth's greatest poem is, she said, "The Ode on the Intimations of Immortality." On this, his sonnets, some smaller poems and some passages in the Excursion, his fame rests. He will never be the world's poet, because the message he had to deliver—the moral beauty of earth's surface—is a special and personal message to a privileged few. His power of detailed description, exact but not laborious, is marvellous. Nature reflected himself in his heart, and Wordsworth looked into his heart and wrote. He redeemed the faculties of sense from ministering to mere pleasure of the senses. He made use only of the elemental feelings which belong to all classes. His claims to greatness rest upon his originality of mind, his imagination, his purity, his tenderness and his nobility. With him the whole of nature communed. To him

"The meanest flower that blows can give,
Thoughts that too often lie too deep for tears."

Mrs. Watt's next Thursday afternoon lecture will be upon "Charles and Mary Lamb."

The following is the text of a letter addressed on May 21 by L. A. Catellier, under secretary of state, to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, and published for the information of the public in the Gazette of yesterday: "I am directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor-General has had under his consideration in Council a dispatch from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies respecting, inter alia, the unauthorized issue of a passport by the mayor of a certain Canadian city, and directing attention to the fact that the only person in the Dominion of Canada empowered to grant passports is the Governor-General, or the Administrator of the Government, as the case may be. That this limitation of the authority to issue passports which will entitle the bearer to British protection is not so well known as, in the interests of the public generally, is desirable, is sufficiently evident, from the occurrence which gave rise to the dispatch above referred to, and from other occurrences of a similar character in the past, and I am, therefore to request that your government may be moved to take such steps as may seem best calculated to ensure it the desired publicity."

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The Races For the Dewhurst Plate and Houghton Handicap—Victoria College Beat Foulkes' Eleven.

The Association football match yesterday afternoon at Beacon hill, between Mr. J. F. Foulkes' eleven and Victoria college, resulted in a win for the college by five goals to one. Owing to the non-appearance of several of Mr. Foulkes' team the game was short-handed throughout, but owing to the brilliant play of the captain, ably seconded by Messrs. Winter, Skene and Napier, the match was by no means the least exciting played yet.

THE TURF.

ENGLISH RACING EVENTS

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The race for the Dewhurst plate was won by Raconteur, Kirk Connel second and Utica third. The race for the Houghton handicap was won by Satirical, Centurion second, Jack the Dandy third.

HERE AND THERE.

The incessant rain yesterday morning made the intended early practice of the Y. M. C. A. footballers impossible.

John S. Johnson's great record of 1:35 2 5, established Wednesday, has been confirmed by the racing board of the L. A. W. So says a United Press dispatch from New York.

Flying Jib went a mile with running mate at Louisville, Ky., yesterday in 2:03½, which is considered equivalent to 2 minutes flat on any other track.

BIG LUMBER CONTRACT.

The Ross-Maclaren Company Said to Have Received Orders to Ship One Hundred Million Feet to South Africa.

An immense lumber deal is reported to have just been closed by the Ross-Maclaren Lumber Company. It is stated on what may be considered reliable authority that they have entered into a contract to ship 100,000,000 feet of lumber to South Africa. This means that their immense mill on the Fraser, which has been lying idle for a long time past, will start up again, and also the North Pacific mill on Burrard Inlet, belonging to the same company. As both mills combined cannot cut more than some 250,000 feet of lumber a day of ten hours it means work for many men, to say nothing of the big fleet of vessels that will be required to transport the lumber from British Columbia to South Africa. It is understood that the contract, which comprises both dressed and rough lumber, calls for delivery of the whole amount within a year.

INITIATION work and work in the first degree will be the business of Peerless lodge I O O.F. this evening.

THE Agricultural Association celebration committee on sports will meet in the committee room, city hall, this evening.

AT No. 95 Belleville street yesterday afternoon an "At Home" was held by the W. C. T. U. There was a good gathering, and, besides the usual amusements, refreshments, etc., provided for such an occasion, a paper was read which furnished an interesting subject for debate.

AN extremely interesting programme has been arranged for the entertainment to be given this evening in the Temperance hall, Pandora street, by the Companions of the Forest. There are twenty odd numbers on the musical and literary bill of fare, the performers including some of the most popular amateurs of the city. One of the special attractions will be Mr. C. K. Harris' latest song "While the Dance Goes On," never before given in this city, and which will be sung by Mr. J. Penketh. The entire programme is sure to be thoroughly enjoyed.

EDWARD BURKE, the crippled vagrant who was shipped to this city by the Seattle police authorities, who have numerous fines recorded against him, was charged with drunkenness in the police court yesterday. The prisoner was discharged—Victoria's authorities have no desire to board him—and this morning's steamer takes him to Vancouver. From there he promises to go to Westminster, where he claims to have friends. Burke has lately been enjoying quite a nice little tour free of cost to himself. Portland found him an unbearable nuisance and passed him along to Tacoma; the police of the City of Destiny, with a grim smile, told him that Seattle was just the sort of a place he would like and the Seattleites would be glad to see him—and helped him thither. Seattle passed him to Victoria. He has cost Victoria one or two days' board and the price of a ticket to the Mainland. He is a thoroughly worthless character, as the records of the Victoria police court attest. He is not a stranger here by any means.

Hood's Cured After Others Failed

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By order.
W. A. JOHNSTON,
Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., Oct. 13, 1894. oc25

FOLLOW THE CROWD.

Do you remember the advice given by Mr. Pickwick when asked what to do in a time of great excitement? "In such cases do as the mob does." "But," said Mr. Snodgrass, "what if there are two mobs?" "SHOUT WITH THE LARGEST," said Mr. Pickwick. Volumes could not have said more. If you, gentle reader, want to buy Dry Goods, the crowd at our place will tell you where to buy them.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Anticipated Trouble at Nanaimo Over the Union Seamen and Shipowners' Dispute.

Return of the Shelby With a Small Catch—Passengers for San Francisco.

NANAIMO, Oct. 25.—(Special)—There is now now no longer any doubt that the trouble in San Francisco between the union seamen and shipowners is gradually spreading North. The first gentle ripple of the advance wave reached Nanaimo to-day. While disclaiming any but the most peaceful methods, the Seamen's Union seem determined to force their claims for an increase of pay and the employment of only union men. A number of faces appearing in town belong to men who are recognized as determined disturbers in the troubles of a year or two ago. Their gathering here, and the presence of the new secretary of the union, cannot but be significant. Yesterday evening a wild attempt to organize a raid came to the ears of the Chief of Police and a watch was instituted, but the thing fell through. All captains have been warned by the police to be careful whom they allow on board, and all indications point to an attempt to revive the times made notorious by the Bawnmore and Richard III outrages. Several attempts to demoralize crews have been sternly nipped in the bud, but a crisis may come at any moment.

THE WHALEBACK LAUNCHED.

There was big excitement in Everett on Wednesday on the occasion of the launching of the new whaleback steamer built to replace the C. W. Wetmore lost in a fog off Coos bay. Witnessing the launch were numerous officers of state and citizens of prominence from all over the Western States. The new craft was christened the "City of Everett," by Miss Katrice Lenz, and is a much larger vessel than the C. W. Wetmore, being nearly 100 feet longer, having more than double the horsepower and 1,700 tons the advantage in tonnage. The dimensions of the vessel, which is the first "whaleback" ever built on the Pacific, are: Length, 360 feet; beam, 42 feet; engine horsepower, 1,800; tonnage, 4,700. Her construction is the initial work of the Pacific Plant Co., whose new works already cover 75 acres of land near the mouth of the Snohomish river. In connection with the works is now building an immense dry dock. At the Everett works the owners will build a fleet of whalebacks for the Pacific, their intention being to establish a line for the Pacific Coast trade and a steamship line to the Orient. At the parent works at West Superior, Wis., the company is now building an average of ten boats per year, employing upwards of 1,100 men. The vessels have fairly revolutionized the carrying trade of the great lakes and bid fair to do the same on the high seas.

THE "SHELBY" RETURNS.

At noon yesterday the little schooner Shelby, the smallest of the sealing fleet in Behring Sea this year and the last of that contingent to arrive, with the exception of the Rosie Olsen, sailed into port. In the matter of immunity from accidents of any kind, the Shelby had a successful season, but otherwise her cruise (the first she has ever taken) proved a failure. For the many long months of her absence she can only show 449 skins, of which 381 were taken in the sea, 68 having been captured on the coast. She left Oaimad pass for Victoria on September 27 and arrived at Sand point on October 1. Leaving the latter place on the following day she reached Cape Cook ten days later. Southeast gales were then met with but the little craft rode them all out with perfect safety, although one was the most severe Capt. Burnes has seen in years. As freight the Shelby brought down 30 barrels of salted salmon from the West Coast, but this was seized when the vessel arrived here on the allegation that it had been caught in violation of the law.

INTERESTING FACTS.

The following interesting notes are clipped from an exchange: Experiments are being made by Captain Schley, of the United States Navy, at the Tompkinsville (Staten island) lighthouse, in New York harbor, with a new light, destined to replace the present beacon on Fire island. The strength of the beam is said to be 250,000,000 candle-power, or much greater than a powerful search light lately placed at Sandy Hook. * * * A recent return shows that in August, 1894, there were 5735 steamers flying the British flag, 810 flying the German flag, 503 flying the French flag, 430 flying the American flag, 359 flying the Spanish flag, 510 flying the Norwegian flag, 213 flying the Italian flag, 462 flying the Swedish flag, and 1382 flying other flags. The total mercantile tonnage of the world is returned at 24,569,496 tons. In this total the United Kingdom figures for 12,969,951 tons, or more than one-half.

THE "WALLA WALLA'S" PASSENGERS.

The following Victoria passengers left for San Francisco on board the steamship Walla Walla which left last evening: C. Little, T. Gambling, Mrs. Armstrong, T. G. Moody and wife, Miss Dunlevy, Mrs. T. Lubbe, H. A. Tiedemann, George Russell, A. H. Hedley and wife, W. B. Dunning, Colonel Robertson, P. L. Good, Mrs. J. E. Way and Mrs. O. C. Hastings.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer R. P. Rithet came in from the Fraser early yesterday morning with a cargo of 6,701 cases of salmon. After discharging this cargo the steamer returned to the Fraser for more.

The government steamer Quadra leaves this morning to paint the beacons and attend to the buoys in the inner channels of Haro strait.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Walla Walla	"	" "
" Umatilla	"	San Francisco.
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Thistle	"	Coastwise.
" Spinster	"	Galiano island.
" Shelby	"	Behring Sea.
Schr. Champion	"	Sooke
Sloop Cha Chemah	"	Race Rocks.
" Flora	"	Clayoquot.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Umatilla	"	San Francisco.
" Walla Walla	"	N. Westminster.
" R. P. Rithet	"	Sooke.
Schr. Champion	"	Race Rocks.
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TEN THOUSAND DAMAGES.

An Alaska Resident Institutes a Suit Against the Captain of the "Narwhal."

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Benjamin Roza, of the shooting station in Alaska, has come down to make trouble for H. P. Smith, skipper of the whaler Narwhal, who called at the shooting station one morning in July, 1892 The skipper was in a very angry mood because his steersman had deserted him, and thinking the fugitive helmsman was at the station, which is owned by Roza, made his belief known to the proprietor. "I tell you he is not here," said Roza, "he is at the next station." They were tangled up together for a few moments and then Roza says Smith compelled him to go on board the Narwhal and proceed to the next station, several leagues distant. He says that Smith, in spite of supplications, prayers and threats, placed hand-cuffs on his wrists and thrust him into a small room in the hold of the vessel. He was obliged to remain in the room handcuffed and without food or drink for fifteen hours. When the Narwhal reached the next station the runaway steersman was found and Roza was released. Roza arrived in this city a few days ago and secured the services of a lawyer, to whom he made his grievance known. The result of their conference was a suit for $10,000 damages filed in the United States district court against Smith and his vessel.

THIRTY-THIRD DEGREE.

Officers Elected at the Recent Meeting of the Supreme Council Held in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The supreme council, thirty-third degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry has been in session in New York city for two days, consisting of some of the most distinguished Free Masons of the United States. They elected the following officers to-day and adjourned late in the afternoon:—Illustrious John G. Gorman, of New York, sovereign grand commander; Illustrious William A. Herschiser, of Ohio, lieutenant commander; Granville A. Frambes, of Michigan, minister of state; Vernon O. Taylor, of Rhode Island, grand prior; David W. Thompson, of Connecticut, grand treasurer; John G. Barke, of Brooklyn, grand secretary general; Robert L. Wright, of Troy, grand keeper of the archives; Willard C. Vanderlip, of Massachusetts, grand master of ceremonies; E. Junius Edwards, of Massachusetts, grand marshal general; M. W. Bayliss, of Washington City, grand standard bearer; William J. Burton, of Rhode Island, captain of the guard; P. O. Anderson, W. W. Carpenter and Edward Rosewater, grand marshals of the camp. The appointment of Samuel P. Lawson as deputy for the state of California was approved.

CHICAGO'S CREDIT.

No Money to Meet its Obligations and No Funds in Sight.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The credit of the city of Chicago was attacked yesterday by a syndicate of local banks, which recently advanced $600,000 as a temporary demand loan, in anticipation of tax collections. Several banks asked immediate repayment of the loan. Comptroller Ackerman complied, and now there is no money on hand to meet the October pay rolls. Not only does the comptroller declare that the city has no money to meet its obligations, but he openly asserts that there is none in sight. Since the Kent resolution was passed by the finance committee, casting a cloud upon the authority of the comptroller to borrow money, the banks have made constant demands on the city for repayment. Up to date $300,000 has been returned. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, not enough to meet the pay-roll, is still on hand, but a great part of that will probably be paid back before the end of the week.

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$500 REWARD

In addition to the reward of two hundred and fifty dollars offered by the Superintendent of Provincial Police on behalf of the Provincial Government, the Chinese Benevolent Society of British Columbia offers a further reward of four hundred dollars and the Chinese merchants of Vancouver one hundred dollars, for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who on Saturday, the fifteenth September, on the Vancouver and New Westminster Wagon Road, shot and killed Fie Mow, a Chinese vegetable seller.

WING KEE,
President Chinese Benevolent Society.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 8, 1894. oc9-1m

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to revive the "Pacific Telephone and Cable Act, 1893," and to amend the said Act by extending the time for the commencement and completion of the undertaking authorized by the said Act and otherwise.

Dated at Victoria, the 12th day of October, 1894.

C. DUBOIS MASON,
Solicitor for Applicants.
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE—Under power of sale contained in an intenture of mortgage, dated the 22nd of June, 1893, and registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, in Charge Book vol. 12, folio 151, No. 14975B, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the 5th of November, 1894, for the purchase of Lots 10,36, Haywood avenue, Victoria City, and the six-roomed cottage and improvements thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

C. C. PEMBERTON,
No. 39½ Langley Street,
Solicitor for Mortgagee.
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NOTICE—No shooting allowed on Foul Bay Farm, Foul Bay; trespassers will be prosecuted. oc10-1m

MATERNITY (late Samaritan) Home, removed to larger premises, at 199 Johnson street. Applicants please apply at the Home, or to Mrs. Higgins, Cadboro Bay Road, or to Mrs. Flumerfelt, Gorge Road. fel0

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Latest and Most Striking Novelties—Handsome Dress Goods and Beautiful Autumn Millinery—The Prince Albert Coat—Some New Buttons, Coiffures and Slippers.

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OW beautiful the show windows are this season! More so, it seems to me, than they have ever been before, perhaps because of the wonderful variety of colors and combinations of color with metals, gold and silver. Flowers of the richest and most brilliant hues are set in every possible place where their vivid tints will enhance the color scheme. Verily it must need the eye and discrimination of a true artist to arrange the windows as they are now adorned. In one you will see a bewildering array of rich silks, satins and velvets, the different patterns draped over stands in the manner best calculated to show off the special beauty of each one. Often a piece of the appropriate trimming will be drawn across or festooned over the folds with wonderful effect. The contrasting colors are shown side by side, and blacks and dark browns and the darker shades of other colors are set as backgrounds, and every art is employed to give each fabric and pattern its due prominence and to overshadow none. These goods so lavishly displayed always number the latest and most striking of the novelties. Cornflower blue pervades everywhere, and there is scarcely any new millinery that does not show a touch of this beautiful tint of nature. There are silks, velvet, velutinas, satins, cloths and gauzes, to say nothing of the ribbons and flowers of this color. I saw in one window yesterday great bunches of velvet poppies in cornflower blue. The blue itself is made in muslin, in silk and in velvet for hats and bonnets. The bluet, with its frosty stem, is woven into so many fabrics that I could not begin to mention them, but wherever it does appear there is something about it that appeals irresistibly to the senses. It is a pleasant and in a measure reminiscent shade, and it is one of the few colors that seem to captivate the masculine eye as well as that of the women.

After the bluet shades comes the brilliant magenta, but with a rather tenderer bloom than that of last season, and

PRINCE ALBERT COAT AND EVENING MANTLE.

in one window you will find among the beautiful made up dresses one of that color, and wherever seen it stands out from its fellows most aggressively, like the gorgeous drum major among the soldiers. Its light is seen from afar off, but it is a pretty color for home wear on dull days, when the rain falls in one steady, incessant, dogged downpour. Then it shows up a point of light and cheerfulness and is the right thing in the right place. Around this are other dresses of plainer made and more sober color, the favorite being the warm, rich browns. There are flecked goods with little tufts of hair scattered over them, and these are very little trimmed, while the magenta and bluet gowns will take an indefinite quantity of lace in different qualities, according to the nature of the goods, though the heavy vandyke laces are seen with everything from silk to thick wool.

The autumn millinery is extremely sumptuous. Nothing is too rich or costly for hat ornaments, and the hats themselves surpass anything in the same line I have ever seen before. The felt plateaus are richly embroidered in colors, mingled with metals or covered with real lace, black or white, set on applique, or have the crowns or brims ornamented with gold or silver embroidery, into which are worked many quite large gilt or silver beads. Pearl beads, garnets and other semiprecious stones and imitation jewels are often wrought into the pattern. These plateau felt hats will be pinched and plaited up much as they were last winter to bring them to the proper form, and this form is always adapted to the face of the person who buys the hat. The trimmings are as diverse as the hats. Some of them have circular bands of fur, set on about two inches from the brim all around. The trimming in such cases consists of a mixture of velvet bows, feathers and flowers, with one stiff loop made of the fur. The bonnets are all sizes, materials and forms. The oddest one I have seen had a crown of black velvet something like a crushed toque.

Directly in front was a white dove's head arranged with a top knot of white osprey aigret and with the two wings, on the upper portions of which were a few black feathers outstretched and drooping down to the sides of the face. The under part of the wings showed from the front, the silky texture of the under side of the feathers revealing a new beauty. There was a small bonnet of black velvet sewed with jet stars, and on the front was a large Alsatian bow of cornflower velvet, with the inevitable aigret, and mingled with that were three blue velvet cornflowers. I could imagine this bonnet above the blue eyes of some fair maiden, enhancing her loveliness a hundred times. Mordore and chestnut brown in velvet are rich and becoming colors. The mordore looks like garnet at night. I have an impression that cornflower blue would require daylight to be at its best.

I notice with pleasure that the graceful princess dress is beginning to appear on the street again. Made as it is now for the street, it resembles more a long coat than a gown, but no one can say that it is not elegant. Those intended for street wear are of heavy woolen goods of whatever quality is best liked. The waist is trimmed like the other gowns, and the skirt can be trimmed in the same general style. Some are buttoned quite down the front, and others are cut with a seam down the front breadth. Many dresses are cut in this style now—that is, with a seam down the front.

Berthas and bretelles have almost entirely disappeared, and now it is not unusual to see a waist absolutely devoid of any trimming, especially tailor made garments. The sharp incroyable revers are, on the other hand, seen oftener than ever before. For a minimum of expenditure of time or labor the pointed lapel is the best way of trimming any waist. It is effective and dressy even when but one lapel is set on.

Among the new wraps brought out this season the handsomest is what they call the Prince Albert coat. It is basque fitted and seamed at the waist and trimmed with large buttons and tailor stitching. They are made three-quarter and full length, the latter reaching almost to the bottom of the dress. They are considered most stylish when dress and coat are of the same material. Yesterday a beautiful lady was promenading along Twenty-third street as well as that pushing, hurrying throng of buyers would let her. She wore a gown and coat of this description of a myrtle green cloth, with four great gilt buttons at the waist. Every one turned to admire the dress. There are also princess coats cut in such a way that the lower part of the skirt hangs in fluted lines. This kind of coat is closed in the back, while the other opens like a man's coat.

The new fancies in coiffure are nearly as many as there are faces, but the modes in vogue when our grandmothers bought side combs and high combs are probably the highest style. The hair in some cases is parted on the top of the head and brought down over the ears, and from there caught up again in a high knot at the back, surmounted with its tortoise shell comb. Others have the hair parted in the center and caught in a fluff of curls just above the ears and held in position with two little side combs, and the rest of the hair is carried back and upward and twisted in a tight doughnut twist. Some wear combs with this style, too, but more prefer the little twisted knob without other ornament. At the same time that these fancies are having their vogue there are plenty of other styles, each one in these enlightened days knowing enough to choose and keep to what is most becoming to her.

Yesterday I noticed some new dancing slippers. They were of kid in various light colors, with heels covered with the same, but the heels were almost covered with gold embroidery and gilt spangles. Few had any embroidery on the top of the slipper. It was all on the heel. Some kid slippers had fanciful patterns cut out by means of a die, and then the kid was stretched over satin of some brilliant contrasting color, which showed daintily through the holes. I have also seen several dress patterns of fine broadcloth where there was a pattern, more or less fine, cut out in the same manner. Around the edges of the pattern was sewed metal braid to outline it, and underneath there was cloth or satin of another color. The most effective was black over white, with gold braid outlining it.

HENRIETTE ROUSSEAU.

A Desk Novelty.

It may be called "the twins penwiper" and is also a penholder. Two bisque dolls, with movable arms and legs, are needed for it. Put on them two or three very full petticoats of dark green flannel, tied tightly around the waist and pinked along the bottom. Over these put a full dress of dark green silk or satin, made short, pinked and sewed around the neck to stay. Snips are cut with the scissors points for armholes. The arms are bent as shown in the illustration, and the joints should be tightened so that they will stay in that position. Sew each doll in a sitting posture at one end of a base made by covering a pasteboard ellipse from 7 to 8

inches long and putting over it two ovals of the flannel slightly longer and finely pinked. The dolls' skirts are spread out on all sides, and the dolls are fastened to the base at the leg joints and ankles by stitches of stout thread so they sit very firmly.

If desired, the space between the two is filled with a stampbox made of bristol board, covered inside and out with green silk or satin, the front and lid being painted or embroidered. A good size for the box is 2 by 1½ by 1 inches.

Any color may be used in making this novelty, but it ought to be dark, for no one likes a penwiper that will not stand a few drops of ink on any part of it without injury. The dolls' faces and arms can easily be washed when soiled or dusty, and the silk and flannel will stand any amount of brushing.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Goods of Robert Williams, Deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake, bearing date the 20th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate and Effects of Robert Williams, late of the City of Victoria.

The Creditors of the Deceased are, on or before the 10th day of December, 1894, to send by post, prepaid to the undersigned, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts (verified by statutory declaration), and the names of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof all claimants will be peremptorily excluded from any benefit of the said Estate.

All persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator.

Dated this 20th day of October, A.D. 1894. oc21-1m

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Raymond Clarke, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Drake, bearing date the 18th day of September, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of the estate and effects of William Raymond Clarke, late of the City of Victoria B.C., deceased.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Official Administrator's Act and in the matter of the Estate of Julia Keffee, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Crease, bearing date the 19th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Julia Keffee, late of the City of Victoria, B C., deceased, intestate.

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W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator.

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NOTICE

To Joseph Phœnix and all others whom it may Concern

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made to a Judge in Chambers at the Supreme Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, on Monday, the 29th October, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard on behalf of Northing P. Snowden, to set aside and cancel two several agreements, dated respectively the 10th and 17th days of December, 1890, in respect of certain lands therein specified, viz.: Lots 47, 56, 57, 55, 49, 54, 67, 52, 70, 81, 50, 53, 68 and 69, and three and-a-half acres of Lot 48, in the District of Victoria, more particularly delineated on the map of the Fairfield Farm Estate; also five acres more or less known as Section 37, Victoria district, on the map of the Fairfield Farm Estate. The said Joseph Phœnix not having complied with the covenants contained in the said several agreements, and the said Northing P. Snowden in consequence of the said default having resumed possession of the said lands and premises.

Dated 1st October, 1894.

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E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

September 10, 1894. se11-tf

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12.10			7.43	Kissing	67	10.02		4.35
11.45			7.23	Goldstream	62	9.36		4.11
11.15			6.59	Summit Siding	58	9.14		3.46
10.50			6.37	Shawnigan Lake	50	8.34		3.06
10.40			6.27	Cobble Hill	47	8.07		2.39
10.27			6.15	McPherson's	43	7.45		2.17
10.17			6.05	Koksilah	40	7.35		2.07
10.12			6.00	Duncan's	38	7.29		2.01
10.02			5.52	Somenos	35	7.19		1.51
9.36			5.32	Chemainus	30	6.53		1.25
9.15			5.15	Oyster Bay Siding	19	6.32		1.04
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9 a. m.,	47°	Highest 50°	5 a. m—Calm.
1 p. m.,	50°		1 p. m.—8 S.
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Sheriff Hall, of Vancouver, is in town.

J. C. Henderson, Chilliwack, is at the Oriental.

A. H. B. Macgowan came over from Vancouver by yesterday evening's steamer.

Miss Storey returned from Puget Sound by the City of Kingston yesterday afternoon.

A. Jones, Toronto, and Y. M. Young, Nanaimo, are among the guests at the New England.

E. W. Wright returned from Puget Sound by the City of Kingston yesterday afternoon.

M. Lenz, of Lenz & Leiser, left yesterday morning by the Charmer on a business trip to Europe.

Among the arrivals at the Oriental are W. R. Bryant, Nanaimo, and G. C. Fox, jr., of Nicola Lake.

Mrs. Henry Gribble and Miss Gribble were passengers from the Mainland by the Charmer last evening.

T. G. Moody and wife left by the direct steamer last evening for California, where they will spend the winter.

H. A. Tiedemann was a passenger by the Walla Walla yesterday for Oakland, Cal., where he will hereafter make his home.

Captain J. M. Lachlan and his son, Bruce Lachlan, return to-day to Philadelphia, after two years' residence in Victoria.

Miss Dunlevy and Mrs. O. C. Hastings were among the passengers for California by the Walla Walla, which sailed last evening.

Col. Robertson, who arrived here from the Orient by the last Empress, left for San Francisco by the direct steamer last evening.

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TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Public School Teachers and Trustees Discuss the Question With Hon. Col. Baker.

Manual Training in Schools Favored—Teachers' Institute Asked to Formulate a Scheme.

Hon. Col. Baker, minister of education, met the Victoria school teachers and board of trustees last night in the city hall for the purpose of discussing the advisability of introducing technical education into the public schools. The meeting was well attended and though opinions differed as to the methods to be pursued it was generally conceded that some steps towards giving manual training to the boys and girls should be taken.

Hon. Col. Baker, who presided, said in his opening remarks that he had asked the teachers and trustees to meet him for the purpose of informally talking over the subject of technical education for the school children. It had been tried in various places on this continent and in Europe, and everywhere with perfect success. Therefore he did not see why it should not be adopted here with advantage. There was no need of going to much expense for a beginning. They might start by introducing it into the High school, where the girls could be taught needle work and domestic economy, and the boys applied mechanics. For that matter the girls might be taught the latter subject as well as the boys, seeing that the female sex were in these days aspiring to manly occupations. (Laughter.) Cooking was a very important thing in life everyone would admit. Unfortunately it is a reflection on the English race that they are bad cooks, while the French excel. Going through one of the big cooking schools in London, he had been struck by the fact that the daughters of rich and poor all attended. Domestic economy was also taught there, each girl having to figure out how much each dish that she cooked cost. There were difficulties to be met with at the outset no doubt, but these could be overcome. As for the boys they should be taught how to work with their hands and apply their labor to the best advantage. They should also be impressed with the dignity of labor and shown that it was just as honorable to work with the hands as with the head. Technical education had been introduced into the Tacoma schools with great success. He proceeded to read extracts from a letter from the head of the technical department of the schools in that city explaining how benches for manual work had been fitted up and arranged, and speaking in high praise of the working of the system for girls as well as boys. Out of eighty pupils in one school seventy five had chosen this technical course, and of these half a dozen were girls. The superintendent of education at Tacoma also wrote in praise of the system and advocated kindergarten teaching for the young. In giving manual training it was not assumed that all the pupils should become mechanics, but that those who did want to go in for the different trades and handicraft might have the way paved for them to a certain extent. In closing the speaker said that all he wished to do to-night was to sow the germs which he trusted would bring forth good results. He asked the teachers for suggestions. Just what the government were prepared to do he could not say as yet, but he was sure that they would be willing to assist in planting technical education in the schools of Victoria and British Columbia. (Applause.)

Principal Paul of the High school thought there could be no two opinions as to the extreme importance of this subject. Every young man and every young woman should be taught to use the eye and hand as well as the brain. As to hours, at present in the High school the day time was pretty well taken up, and he thought the establishment of a night school would be the proper method to pursue. The staff of the High school, he would say, would do all in their power to assist in helping the matter forward. (Applause.)

Mr. Charles Hayward, chairman of the school board, was fully convinced of the importance of the subject. He had only the other day read where a prize of a guinea had been given by Baroness Burdett-Coutts for an essay on cooking, showing how six people could dine on the small sum of eight cents. This showed what a knowledge of economical cooking could do. He favored boys and girls being taught how to use their hands as well as their heads. (Applause.)

Mr. N. Heath, first assistant of the High school, somewhat differed from the former speakers. He did not believe in the pupils at school getting technical education, but he did think that the young men and women after they left school should have an opportunity given them in this direction. He advocated night schools being opened for this purpose, where applied mechanics and practical chemistry, for example, might be taught. He had had experience in this work and was quite prepared to do all in his power to assist in the matter. Then the ladies might get up musical evenings where music could be taught. If, however, the attempt were made to crush technical education into the ordinary school curriculum it would be a mistake. He spoke from experience of what he had seen in other countries. He had never seen a table turned out in a technical school that he would care to buy. He had also seen the cooking by pupils of such schools, and though not very particular about his eating, he must say he would not care to eat it. (Laughter.)

Mr. Henry Lawson, upon being asked to give his views, remarked that under the present system of education there was too much dosing with lessons, and a little variety would be beneficial to the children. The experiment had been tried in other places of giving so many hours to technical education, or what might better be described as manual training, and it was found that the time was not lost but well employed by the pupils. He did not believe in taking up the evenings of the boys and girls for this work; it should be done in school hours. Then the expense need not be great, a few necessary tools would not cost much. Care should be taken to have a thoroughly practical teacher. He advocated manual training for girls as well as boys, for they must admit it would be something to teach a girl to drive a nail properly. (Laughter.) One good effect, too, would be to impress upon the children the dignity of labor. A boy should learn that it is a good thing to work, and a boy with a talent for mechanics should be taught to develop it and to understand that it was just as honorable to work with his hands as to look forward to taking his place in the already too-crowded professions.

Trustee Lewis, speaking as a working man, thought that in trying to push things they might crowd the children too much. If a boy had the stuff in him to be a mechanic, he would be one in spite of anything. There was not much inducement to a boy to go into a trade, however, when the small pay gained there was compared with the larger pay to be had in professions. They were told that this technical training could be done in the evenings, but how were the children going to get the time with the home lessons they now had that would puzzle Milton himself to get through in an evening. (Laughter). He believed, too, in girls learning cooking at home from their mothers.

A Voice—What if their mothers don't know how to cook?

Mr. Lewis—Well, they should know, and more shame to them if they don't. Let them learn.

Trustee Marchant considered the present education turned out a race of professional "ladies and gentlemen." He would rather see a race of workers in the broad sense instead. For instance the teaching profession was overcrowded. It was the fault of the system which was not practical enough. The step proposed by Hon. Col. Baker was one in the right direction, and he would like to see it carried out. If it is wise to train the mind it is equally right to train the body. Cooking and sewing were both exceedingly useful. The question was how to train the teachers to teach these subjects. He trusted that the government at the next session would provide the necessary machinery for carrying out this important matter.

Trustee Lovell thought night schools would be very useful, especially for those whose parents were not able to give them the advantages of an advanced education. He advocated the teaching of navigation in addition to other subjects, and believed that the night schools once established might be the nucleus of technical schools to be established in the future.

Principal Netherby, of the Boys' Central school, believed it quite necessary for teachers to assist the pupils, not only to store their minds, but to do the work themselves. It was possible to teach theoretically and yet not accomplish anything practical. Agricultural chemistry he believed a very important subject which could be taught with advantage. He trusted that some plan might be adopted, and that soon, to give physical teaching to the boys and girls. He had witnessed the working of mechanical schools in the East and they had turned out thorough workmen. A great want, he said, was to teach the boys and girls the beauty and honor of manual labor. (Laughter.)

Miss Williams believed that as far as the time in school was concerned there was little opportunity in the present school hours to add any more subjects. She was impressed with the importance of teaching sewing especially, and thought that night schools would meet the matter best.

Miss Arrowsmith thought a few lessons in dressmaking would be very beneficial to the girls as most of them were sadly deficient in this. If they were taught this it would give a means of earning a livelihood if needed.

A. B. McNeill, principal of the North Ward school, favored the idea of technical education. How to get the time was the principal difficulty. An hour or so a day of mechanical labor would help boys and girls in their mental education, but that could not be done with the present hours. Night schools were the only solution of the difficulty. He wanted to see the kindergarten system started for the little ones too. In all schools agricultural chemistry should be taught. This was a compulsory subject in Ontario schools now and would tend to make people less liable to look down on the occupation of the farmer. Perhaps time might be made by cutting out some of the subjects now taught, at any rate in the High school. (Applause.)

Mr. Hayward moved that the matter be referred to the teachers institute with a request to fully discuss the question and report as early as possible to the school trustees, who would lay the matter before the Minister of Education.

Hon. Col. Baker, in closing the meeting, referred to some of the remarks made as to the present school curriculum being too long. He thought there were far too many subjects taught now (applause), but as the same subjects were taught in Eastern Canada and other countries British Columbia was forced to go with the stream or our children would fall behind in the race. The whole world, however, was waking up to the fact that too many subjects were being taught children, and he hoped the remedy would come in time. The manual training he believed might come in as a matter of recreation for the children. He advocated sewing for the boys as well as the girls. He believed that if a practical scheme, not too costly, was submitted to him he would be able to get it carried out.

After a vote of thanks to Hon. Col. Baker the meeting adjourned.

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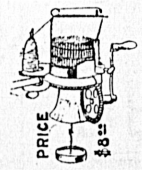

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